



PATENT  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: USE OF UNSAPONIFIABLE COMPONENTS OF VEGETABLE  
OILS FOR PREPARING A FOOD ADDITIVE  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

This communication responds to the non-final Office action dated January 9, 2007, concerning the above-referenced patent application. The response is timely, as it is filed with a one-month extension of time and the required fee (\$120).

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: